

Amendments to the Specification

Please amend the title as follows:

~~SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR IMPLEMENTING A GRAPHICAL USER~~
INTERFACE ACROSS DISSIMILAR PLATFORMS YET RETAINING SIMILAR LOOK
AND FEEL

Please delete the paragraphs beginning on page 10, line 17 – page 11, line 11 in their entirety.

Please amend the paragraph beginning on page 11, line 17, as follows:

~~The An API~~ having both Swing-type features and AWT-type features is ~~alternatively called~~ referred to herein as “AWTSwing,” and can be used to provide improved functionality and a more consistent look and feel for Java application programs. AWTSwing replaces the heavyweight Peer classes in the AWT with lightweight Peer classes while preserving the same interface. This allows legacy applications, which previously relied upon the graphics resources of the AWT, to run without modification. AWTSwing also augments the functionality of Swing, so that new applications can deploy a modern full-featured graphical interface. Because AWTSwing uses no native code for the windowing controls, it is truly portable. Therefore, the GUI for a Java application based on AWTSwing will have a consistent look and feel regardless of which operating system it is ported.

Please delete the paragraphs beginning on page 11, line 28 – page 12, line 28 in their entirety.

Please amend the paragraph beginning on page 13, line 1, as follows:

According to ~~another~~ one embodiment, a method is provided. The method is one which displays an image on a computer display. The computer can run an application program that includes an API dependent on the operating system of the computer to cause a first image to be displayed using the first interface. Thereafter, the computer can run an application program with a second interface that is substantially independent of the operating system, yet emulates the behavior of at least a part of the first interface. The application program can then be re-run to re-display the second image having substantially the same look and feel of the first image.

Please delete the paragraph beginning on page 13, line 10, in its entirety.